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## FINANCE COMMITTEE CALLS A HALT ON EXPENDITURES.

Chairman Thomas Warns Council That There Has Been  
Too Much Frenzied Finance of Late.

### THEN BURGESS' PAY GOES UP

J. L. Evans Will Receive \$75 a Month  
Instead of \$50—President Stillwagon Tells Street Committee to Slow  
Down—Clean Over Lights.

Only one member of Council was missing when the roll was called last night and all heard the warning sounded by Chairman W. H. Thomas of the Finance Committee that too much money is being spent. The Finance Committee called an immediate halt on the alleged reckless expenditures that are being made, principally by the Street Committee, and stated that unless there is a let up, the town will be without funds to meet its current running expenses for the balance of the year. This was followed by a notice upon the Street Committee to economize, after which bills amounting to more than \$6,000 were paid, an ordinance passed for the opening of two new streets and Burgess Evans' salary was increased to \$75 a month. The eloquent appeal of Councilman Brennan for a light in the Second Ward was voted down.

The meeting was largely attended, Squire Buttermore of the West Side being the only absentee. Most of the members were not present, and the meeting was a nodding affair. Various matters were discussed. Councilman John Duggan and Walter Shuman were the principal speakers, the former getting into every subject that came before the house. Not far behind, in point of volubility, was Councilman William McCormick, while Chairman Cypher of the Street Committee made a lengthy report and then subsided. Chairman Thomas talked on financial matters, while J. Melvin Grey had a few similar remarks to make. Chairman Crowley of the Light Committee talked when called on. Capt. Harry Dunn made a few impromptu remarks but all the rest were possessed of tomblike silence. Solomon Lepley talked out and then subsided when President Stillwagon frowned in his direction. Chairman Stoner of the Ordinance Committee had a good bit to say at various times. Stoner holds a position of honor with the organization leaders. He has the nicest bass voice that ever boomed across this room, and when he votes his voice draws all opposition. That makes it easy for the President to tell which side won.

Following the warning that finances are in a low state of vitality, Councilman Stoner arose to ask why he never received a notice of that committee's meetings. Chairman Thomas admitted frankly that Mr. Stoner had been overlooked, but this, he said, was because he never attended any of the sessions. Mr. Thomas got back in his style a little later when he inquired why he was never asked to attend the sessions of the Ordinance Committee of which Mr. Stoner is Chairman.

"That committee never held but one meeting," said Mr. Stoner. "They fix up the ordinances in Council, have the Borough Solicitors whip them in shape and then they are handed to me just before Council meets. All I do is turn the papers over to the clerk."

This evidently didn't please President Stillwagon, who ordered each committee to hold at least one meeting every month.

Chairman Edgar Cypher of the Street Committee made a lengthy report and was advised by President Stillwagon to slow down. The paving contracts are about through, he said. Contractor O'Connor has finished all the work handed him. The Eighth street extension, which is being done by the borough, will be completed this week and will have cost less than the lowest estimate of any contractor. Mr. Cypher complained that the members of his committee were not turning out as they should. Bids, he stated, will be asked for work on the Hood property, which has been damaged by the change of grade in Meadow Lane. Alex. B. Hood appeared and stated that he had taken prices from three contractors, but all were too high. Friel asked if he

committee would advertise for bids, and Cypher said that was hardly necessary as there were only two or three men in town who could handle the work.

The matter of having sidewalks laid along South Pittsburgh street, on the east side between Patterson and Davidson avenues resulted in a motion being passed to order the property owners to lay walks. This will probably be held up as a grade has not yet been established. The sidewalk along Race street, to the South Side school, will be kept in good repair during the winter, Cypher promised. (Continued on Fifth Page.)

## CARS SMASHED IN MOYER WRECK.

South Bound Train of Empty Coke Racks Crash Into Engine and Both Tracks Are Blocked Several Hours.

A freight wreck occurred on the Southwest branch of the Pennsylvania railroad near Moyer this morning at 9:15 when seven empty coke cars were smashed up as the result of a drawhead breaking on the leading locomotive. The train was a double header and after the drawhead on the first engine broke, the cars were pushed into the rear of the tender with great violence.

The train was south bound, hauling a string of empty coke cars for plants in the south end of the Connellsville region. At the point where the accident happened the grade is stiff. The wrecked cars piled up on top of each other and then toppled over on both tracks. Fortunately none of the crew was riding on the wrecked cars and no one was hurt.

Both tracks were blocked until shortly after noon, when the north-bound rails were cleared. Two passenger trains were held up for several hours until the track could be opened. The wrecking crew from Youngwood was called out.

### CENTRAL BANK NOT FOR COMING SESSION

Scheme Will Be Recommended But Action On It Deferred Until Later.

United Press Telegram. WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Although the monetary commission has fully decided to recommend a Central Bank it is certain that there will be no attempt to secure legislation on the subject by the coming Congress. The earliest time, according to some authorities, in which it will be possible to make an earnest effort to push the bill through would be the first session of the Sixty-second Congress.

Having decided the general outline of the bank, the monetary commission is now working out the details. Some of these are whether State banks should be permitted to take stock in the Central Bank on the same basis as the National banks and whether it will be advisable to allow the general public to take stock in a limited amount.

Senator Aldrich favors calling an extraordinary session of Congress next year for bank legislation but this is impossible owing to the Congressional elections.

## CZAR FACES DANGERS IN HIS ITALIAN TRIP

So Illness of Czarina Is Exaggerated To Give Excuse For Not Going.

United Press Telegram. ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 6.—Fear for the safety of the Czar is the reason for the continued reports concerning the illness of the Czarina. While the Czarina is known to be ailing, it is reported today that the statement is exaggerated for the purpose of furnishing the Czar an excuse for abandoning his proposed Italian tour.

Hundreds of secret service agents who have been scouring Italy for months indicate that the trip to Italy will be fraught with greatest danger to the Czar. Several formidable terrorist plots have been uncovered, engineered by both Italian and Russian conspirators.

Practically all the workmen engaged in making repairs to the winter palace have been arrested. It was discovered that they altered the plans and made structural changes to give room for secret passages. The secret service men believe these would have been used by terrorists.

## AN OLD BOARD BILL DETAINED DE MALIO

An Orient Italian Who Had Planned a Visit to His Native Land.

Carmelo De Malio's trip to the old country was held up for several hours through the activity of the Connellsville police and persistence of G. Laurerio of Orient. De Malio is alleged to have left Orient without going through the formality of settling his board bill of \$20.

Word was sent to the officers here, but too late to catch the departing foreigner, who boarded train No. 14 for the east. Chief of Police Kettler took up the chase by wire. He notified Rockwood and Meyersdale, but the train had passed those points. The man was finally landed at Hyndman.

Chief Kettler left last night for Hyndman and returned on the first train this morning with his prisoner. Through the intervention of Antonio Bufano, the interpreter, De Malio is permitted to go his way after settling the bill and costs.

## SCHOOL STATISTICS FOR FIRST MONTH

Of the Term in Connellsville Submitted by Superintendent Deffenbaugh.

TOTAL ENROLLMENT OVER 2,000

List of the Rooms This Received Fewer Than Ten Tardy Marks During the Month of September.

Borough Superintendent W. S. Deffenbaugh this morning gave out his report for the first month of the local school term, ending October 1. The grand total enrollment was 2,032. The average attendance was 1,864 and the percentage of attendance 97. The enrollment of the High School is 283. In the freshman class there are 120 students, 80 in the sophomore class, 88 in the junior class, and 13 seniors.

The Fourth Ward shows an enrollment of 380 pupils with an average attendance of 352, and a percentage of 96. Miss Harriet Berger in grade No. 1 has the largest number of pupils, 63. Two other rooms Nos. 4 and 5, Miss Lulu Shaw and Miss Irene Lytle teachers, have 50 pupils each.

The South Side schools show an enrollment of 330. The average attendance is 304, percentage 98. All the rooms have an individual enrollment of less than 50.

In the Second Ward there are 308 pupils enrolled, showing an average attendance of 278 and a percentage of 95. Room No. 1, Miss Carrie Kenyon, teacher, has 58 pupils. Each of the other rooms has an enrollment of less than 50 pupils.

Three hundred and sixty-six pupils are enrolled in the Third Ward. Their average attendance was 332 and percentage 96. Room No. 2, Miss Vilella Howard, teacher, has the largest enrollment which is 57.

The West Side schools show an enrollment of 390. Average attendance is 358 and percentage 94. Room No. 6, Miss Martha Long teacher, has the largest enrollment, 52.

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## EVANS WANTS TO SEE FAMILY MORE.

Two Hours a Week Allowed by Wife Not Enough, He Says.

WIFE REFUSES TO LIVE WITH HIM AND HE CLAIMS SHE IS TRYING TO TURN HIS CHILDREN AGAINST HIM—OTHER NOTES OF THE COURTS.

UNIONTOWN, Oct. 6.—Charles E. Evans of Lower Tyrone township has entered habeas corpus proceedings against his wife, Ada M. Evans, and her father, James Williams, and they will come into court October 12 with the three little Evans children.

Evans objects to the arbitrary ruling of his wife that he can only see the children for two hours each week. When he sees them often he says his wife treats them badly and is trying to turn them against him. The two do not live together.

In 1907 Evans was prosecuted for desertion and non-support but was acquitted. He says he is willing to make a home for the family, but his wife refuses to live with him. The children are Edna, aged 7; Jennie, aged 4, and Harry, aged 2.

The Monarch Water Heater Company has entered suit to recover \$48.38 from John D. Cheeks. The amount is alleged to be due on a book account.

James T. Daily has sued W. C. Kittle to recover \$700 on a note which Kittle is alleged to have given J. L. Luce, and which the plaintiff purchased.

Joseph Martin of Briar Hill has been lodged in jail charged with stealing a vest and watch from Nathan Hotter. Martin denies it but Hotter claims to have circumstantial evidence enough to convict.

COME SEEKING CONVERTS.

Two Good Israelites From the House of David.

Marion and Andrew, two Israelites from the House of David, Benton Harbor, Mich., are here today. They are on their way to Florida and are seeking converts along the way. They believe in eternal life and never cut their hair.

The Israelites have a communistic settlement at Benton Harbor, worked out on a socialistic scale.

Veterans Hold Reunion.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Oct. 6.—Veterans of the Civil war, comprising the remnants of the Eighteenth regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, held their annual reunion yesterday. The Eighteenth regiment was recruited almost entirely in Washington and Greene counties.

Reported Mine Accident.

WHEELING, W. Va., Oct. 6.—(Special)—Several men are reported killed in an explosion at Elm Grove mine, about ten miles north of this city.

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Italian Run Down by an Engine at Pinkerton. Yesterday Afternoon. Body Brought Here.

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Miss Agnes Reed and L. R. Crumling, superintendent of schools at Washington, Pa., were married in New York yesterday.

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The committee has requested that the business houses of the town be decorated for the occasion. A feature of the affair will be the rendition of all the old regulation infantry calls played on the drums by two veterans. The meeting will be called to order by W. T. Kennedy, President of the association. Wooda N. Carr, Esq., will deliver the address of welcome. Response by Col. J. M. Schoonmaker of the 14th Pennsylvania Volunteer Cavalry. General O. O. Howard of Burlington, Vt., will address the afternoon session.

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This plan was recently adopted by the directors and in brief will embody the following: Arrangements have been made to care for the bonded indebtedness of the Association conditionally that the citizens of Connellsville, will support the Association in its current expense finances. Thus the directors are endeavoring to secure a number of friends to agree to contribute annually a sufficient amount to cover the needs of this work. They feel that when the necessary amount is pledged and annually paid that it will give the secretaries of the organization, a free hand to do real, genuine Association work, rather than spend a large share of their time in soliciting money to pay their own salaries and the care for the support of the activities in the building. In carrying out this plan the directors have secured the services of E. J. Hockenberry, General Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association of Lebanon, Pa. Mr. Hockenberry is now in the city, and is working with General Secretary Chase and the directors.

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## SOCIAL.

**Pretty Fancy Work Party.**  
Pink and white appointments marked a very pretty fancy work party at which Mrs. William Dull was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home at the Arlington Hotel. The hours were from 2 until 6 o'clock. The parlors and dining room were attractively decorated in bouquets of dahlias and roses, while ferns and palms introduced the touch of green, adding greatly to the effectiveness of the decorations. About forty ladies were present and spent a very delightful afternoon at fancy work. A spider web was worked by each of the ladies and dainty prizes were awarded to Mrs. J. L. Prouditt and Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman, having completed their work in the shortest time.

About 6 o'clock fancy work was laid aside and the ladies assembled in the spacious dining room where an elaborately appointed luncheon was served. Tomorrow afternoon Mrs. Dull will entertain at cards at the Armory. This marks the closing of a series of three social functions planned by Mrs. Dull. A large number of invitations are out, including guests from Connelleville and vicinity.

**First Rehearsal.**  
The first rehearsal for "The College Boy's Wedding," to be presented Thursday and Friday evenings, October 23 and 24, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., will be held Monday evening October 19, at the Y. M. C. A. Miss Marie Bonford has been chosen as one of the leading characters while the remainder of the cast will be composed of the very best home talent.

**Auxiliary Will Meet.**  
The regular meeting of the C. W. B. Auxiliary of the Christian Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church. Mrs. W. D. Cunningham, a member of the auxiliary and who returns to Japan next month, will give an address on "The Bright Side of Japanese Life." A large attendance is desired.

**Dance at Leisening.**  
The young members of St. Vincent de Paul's Church at Leisening No. 1 held a very delightful dance last evening in St. Vincent de Paul hall. About 40 couples were present and danced from 8:30 until after 11:30 o'clock. Music was furnished by Kifer's orchestra.

**Attend Missionary Meeting.**  
Mrs. T. H. White, Mrs. W. N. Leche, Mrs. William Hobbins and Mrs. F. E. Markell went to Gettysburg today to attend the meeting of the Foreign and Home Missionary Society of the Redstone Presbytery. This evening Rev. J. L. Prouditt will deliver an address.

**Missionary Workers' Session.**  
The regular meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts on North Pittsburg street. A large attendance is desired.

**Will Wed This Evening.**  
The marriage of Howard B. Henderson and Miss Irene McCartney will be solemnized this evening at 6:30 o'clock at the home of the bride-elect on East Fairview avenue. Only the immediate relatives will witness the ceremony.

**Mace & Company's Opening.**  
The annual fall opening of Mace & Company is being held today and will be continued tonight. A musical program will be rendered this afternoon and evening by Kifer's orchestra.

**Convention at Cambridge Springs.**  
A State convention of the Knights and Ladies of Honor will convene on Monday, October 18, at Cambridge Springs. Miss Jennie Holt is a delegate from the local lodge.

**Five Hundred and Fancy Work.**  
Mrs. E. C. Higbee has issued invitations for a five hundred and fancy work party to be given at her home on South Pittsburg street Thursday afternoon, October 14.

**Cumberland Masons on Visit.**  
A delegation of the Cumberland lodge of Masons paid a fraternal visit to the local lodge of Masons last evening at their regular meeting in the Masonic building.

**Social Meeting.**  
A social meeting of the Knights and Ladies will be held Tuesday evening, October 12, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Schreengost on East Francis avenue.

**Miscellaneous Showers.**  
A miscellaneous shower will be tendered Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowser on Friday evening at the home of the latter's parents on Fourth street, West Side.

**Rehearsal Meet.**  
The regular meeting of the Daughters of Rebekah was held last evening in Odd Fellows hall. Business of a routine nature was transacted.

## FOG IS FATAL.

**Beaver Falls Man is Killed—Wreck and Train Delay.**  
PITTSBURG, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—The heaviest fog in Western Pennsylvania for months this morning resulted in one death, a small wreck and delay to all trains.

At Beaver Falls C. C. Childs, aged 64, became confused by the fog and was struck by a train and killed. A freight in the Pittsburgh stock yards ran into cars. The engine was derailed, cars demolished and considerable live stock killed. All trains were held up 20 minutes on account of fog.

**An Automobile Trip.**  
F. R. Bradford, J. C. Munson and George A. Munson left this morning for an automobile trip to Salisbury. They will return tonight. The trip is being made in George A. Munson's Jackson.

## THE M. E. CONFERENCE OPENS AT BELLEVUE

An Important Week's Work Laid Out for Gathering of Ministers at Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 6.—The annual meeting of the Pittsburgh conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church opened last night with reception services in the Bellevue Methodist Episcopal Church. The address of welcome was delivered by Rev. Frank Cruikshank of Pittsburgh, to over 150 ministers. Response was made by Rev. T. M. Eaton of Mt. Pleasant.

George Quail of Bellevue, gave a historical address, filled with reminiscences of the various pastors who occupied the pulpit in the Bellevue church during the century of its organization.

Bishop Charles W. Smith, formerly editor of the Pittsburgh "Christian Advocate," this morning began the organization of his eighth conference this season. Following this meeting a business session will be held. A memorial service will be held in honor of ministers who died during the year.

Rev. B. W. Hutchinson of Washington, Pa., will preach a missionary sermon this afternoon. The anniversary of the board of education will be observed this evening. An address will be made by Rev. Dr. A. C. McCrack, pastor of the Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church of Newark, N. J.

The conference will close next Monday with the announcement of appointments.

**SMITHFIELD SOLONS AFTER SIDEWALKS**  
They Also Want a Man to Clean the Gas Lamps Since Jackson Quit.

Special to The Courier.  
SMITHFIELD, Oct. 6.—Smithfield is in line with other enterprising boroughs in an effort to secure better sidewalks. The request of A. Cora that he be given more time in which to lay walks in front of his property, was tabled at a meeting of Council last night, the Penn Supply Company was notified to repair its brick pavement, while all owners where ash walks are allowed have only until November 15 in which to get them in shape for the winter.

C. B. Jackson has resigned as chairman of the street lamps and the Street Committee is after a new man for the job. The work pays 35 cents an hour for time actually employed.

C. B. Stewart landed the contract for placing six alloy crossings at \$10 each, five on Liberty street and the other at the M. E. Church.

**STORM SEWER COVERS MAY BE DROPPED**  
Below Surface and Bricked Over. Are Dangerous to Teams in Bad Weather.

Councilman William McCormick will make an improvement in Pittsburg street that will be appreciated by every tourist in the borough. The iron covering over the storm sewer at the intersection of Main street is to be dropped below the surface and bricked over. These iron gratings have been the cause of drivers' existence ever since they were installed. Horses slip on them and in bad weather it is almost impossible to get the animals across in safety.

The change will require other alterations to take care of Main street's storm water. Efforts may be made to have all of these iron coverings along Pittsburg street removed. The one opposite the Wyman hotel, at Church Place, is one of the worst along the thoroughfare for motorists.

## CONTINUED WARM WEATHER

Promised for Next Forty-eight Hours by Weather Sharp.

Fair weather and a continuance of the moderate temperature is promised in the noon weather forecast. Fair tonight and Thursday is the bulletin. There is just a hint of anxiety over the weather as the time for the world's series games draw near, but prospects are now that the conditions will be as good, if not better, than during any previous series that has been held. The fans are devoutly hoping such may be the case.

The mercury this morning registered 48 degrees, but began crawling upward with the sun. Yesterday morning the temperature was 61, rising to 73 in the evening.

## AMERICAN WINS RACE.

For Gordon Bennett Cup Covering 700 Miles in Air.

SEURICK, Oct. 6.—(Special.)—American II, Edgar W. Mix pilot, is winner of the international balloon race for the Gordon Bennett cup. A dispatch was received from Mix this afternoon stating that he had landed Tuesday in a forest at Gdynia, Russian Poland, north of Warsaw. The distance was 700 miles.

## One Lone Prisoner.

One prisoner, a quiet negro answering to the name of John Williams, faced Burgess Evans in police court this morning. He was picked up as a suspicious character and was permitted to return to his Uniontown home.

Have you tried our classified ads?

## PERFECT ATTENDANCE OF MANY PUPILS

Shown by Monthly Report of the Public Schools Down at Vanderbilt.

Special to The Courier.  
VANDERBILT, Oct. 6.—The Vanderbilt Borough schools, completed their first month of school Friday, with an unusually good attendance. The schools are progressing nicely this year under a corps of able instructors. Many radical changes have been made in the schools within the last two years and the patrons and pupils are now profiting by them. The schools are in a progressive, up-to-date condition and their financing (a former bug-aboo) is now solved.

The following is the total enrollment, the attendance and the percent of attendance:

1. Martha Wilson.....	50	50	100
2. Maude Lutz.....	45	45	100
3. Naomi Rosenblum.....	52	48	92
4. J. S. McCalland.....	20	27	135
5. Hess Courtney.....	42	42	100
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>97</b>

Those perfect in attendance: Room No. 1, John Bombo, Edgar Snyder, Lester Herbert, Albert Kniffman, Noble Arnette, David White, Eric Morrison, Otis Herbert, Ambrose Moxin, Charles Bailey, Albert Fuller, Andy Supovitz, J. T. Ambrose, Columbus Bull, Alpha Boyer, Grace Martin, Geraldine Edwards, Julie Moxin, Viola Thornton, Jane Bailey, Mary Shallenberger, Katherine Newmyer, Annie Stokkuk, Katie Morrison, Sophia Mondrilla, Julia Morrison, Virginia Edwards, Annie Koenig, Evelyn Turmen, Margarita Schubert, Tillian Sheppard, Agnes Marchant.

Room No. 2—Edward Popovich, Robert Boyer, Frank Whalen, Frank Hallett, Joe Strickler, Wendall Kaufman, Jesse Heck, Clayton Goo, John Adams, Alva Chambers, Ralph Herwick, J. C. Johnson, Mary Bordin, Ella Mae Ritchey, Flossie Welling, Mary Martin, Mary Stotcheck, Ruth Newmyer, Anna Laughrey, Georgia Newmyer, Mary Herbert, Barbara Bruehe, Camille Baker, Theresa Beatty, Sophia Bumbor, Hazel Shallenberger.

Room No. 3—George Martin, Arthur Laughrey, Eddie Jordan, Edward Polak, Jess Martin, Joseph Nolan, James Knox, Frederick Baker, R. M. Shallenberger, Eddie Gallagher, Mike Bodas, Edna Snyder, Freda Lutz, Katie Moxin, Ethel Vargo, Francis Dayton, Edna Speelman, Julia Polak, Bessie Mickey, Hazel Maurer, Bess Martin, Grace Newmyer.

Room No. 4—William Beatty, Dwight Koenig, Lawrence Maust, Joseph Vickovic, Ira Laughrey, David Knox, Quay Herwick, Harold Wilson, John McFarland, Amelia Vickovic, Mary Pollak, Mary Shubert, Frances Strickler, Katie Maurer, Angelina Martin, Anna Bell Arnette, Ester Cosgrove, Julia Bodas, Martha Harshman.

Room No. 5, John Wilson, Clyde Newmyer, Jesse Jordan, Malion Edwards, William Gallagher, George Mullick, J. C. Beatty, Hugh Henderson, Ardis Edwards, Bess Johnson, Leona Laughrey, Freda Wright, Lilburn Reed, Willa Paterson.

## BIRMY SHOWED FIGHT AND THEN SPRINTED

When Connelleville Constable Served Warrant for Jumping Board Bill, His Father Paid Up.

Constable J. W. Mitchell's, flying trip to Philadelphia landed him into a scrimmage yesterday with William Birmingham, former idol of the Connelleville baseball fans. Mitchell had a warrant for Birmingham, who deduced a \$25 board bill at the Hotel Haus while it was under the management of M. J. Roland.

When Mitchell found Birmingham at No. 511 Glenwood avenue, Bill was ready for a fight. There was a tussle and chase over several city blocks, which are not short in Philadelphia, and William was finally landed in the police station. Later his father came to the front and settled the bill.

At the same time Mitchell also arrested W. W. Scott who formerly worked at the Haus Hotel as a night watchman. Scott was held on a \$25 board bill at the establishment. He paid board bill when he left amounted to \$24. His father also came to his rescue. Mitchell returned to Connelleville this morning.

**Died on Vacation Trip.**  
Mrs. Charles Berling of Wilmington, Del., died on a Pennsylvania train near Irwin yesterday. She was on a vacation trip.

## MISSIONARY WORKERS ARE IN SESSION

(Continued from First Page.)  
Schwartz followed. The feature of the evening was an illustrated lecture on India by Miss Mary Kraus of Guntur, India. Miss Kraus has been engaged in mission work in India for a number of years and expects to return to Guntur to take up the work again. Her lecture last evening was one of great interest and held the attention of the audience from beginning to the close. She spoke of the customs of the people in India and made a strong plea for more missionary workers. An offering followed and after the rendition of a selection by the choir the convention adjourned until this morning.

## Stop Women And Consider

This Fact—that in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private ills to a woman—a woman whose experience with women's diseases covers twenty-five years.

The present Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, was for years under her direction, and has ever since her decease continued to advise women.

Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty causes them to shrink from exposing themselves to the questions and probable examinations of even their family physician. Such questioning and examination is unnecessary. Without cost you can consult a woman whose knowledge from actual experience is great.

## MRS. PINKHAM'S STANDING INVITATION:

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women. A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established this confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken. Never has she published a testimonial or used a letter without the written consent of the writer, and never has the company allowed these confidential letters to get out of their possession, as the hundreds of thousands of them in their files will attest.

Out of the vast volume of experience which Mrs. Pinkham has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge needed in your case. She asks nothing in return except your good will, and her advice has helped thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, should be glad to take advantage of this generous offer of assistance. Address Mrs. Pinkham, care of Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

## GOES FOR FIREWORKS FOR COLUMBUS DAY

New Ideas at Hudson-Fulton Celebration in New York Will Be Shown Here.

Chairman Frank D'Auria of the fireworks committee of the Columbus Day celebration today for New York to make arrangements to secure some of the necessary paraphernalia in connection with the big time here next week.

D'Auria, it is said, hopes to secure some of the elaborate decorations that were used during the Hudson-Fulton celebration, in addition to the new stuff that will be purchased. The decorations in New York were among the most elaborate ever seen there and the Italians here believe they can pick up something that would enhance the decorations here.

The fireworks will be the most elaborate ever seen here. Among the set pieces will be representations of Christopher Columbus, the Santa Maria, his ship, and George Washington. The street illumination will be particularly of note.

**It Will Surprise You**  
To see how much money you can save by establishing the practice of regular systematic deposits in the Citizens National Bank. Four per cent interest paid on savings accounts. Citizens National Bank, Connelleville, Pa. Capital \$100,000.00. Surplus and profits \$100,000.00.

## Go Steamship Tickets.

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## PERSONAL.

Miss Margaret Parrie and H. Swan of Harrisburg are the guests of Olliver and Mrs. John A. Lowe, of the Philadelphia.

D. P. Pradette, contract agent for the Lehigh Valley company of Bethlehem, Pa., is visiting in Connelleville. He joined Mrs. Pradette and child, who preceded him here a few weeks.

Miss Gertrude Fowler, left this morning for Philadelphia to spend the winter with her brother, Frank Fowler. Her sister accompanied her to Greensburg.

Mrs. J. E. Sims has returned from a several weeks' stay at Marlinton. Regus Armstrong, who has been ill of typhoid fever at his home on Eighth street, Greensburg, for the past six weeks, is able to be out again.

All kinds of decorations, buildings and flags for the Columbus celebration. William Herzberg, 140 Main street.

Friends in Pittsburg.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Vance went to Gettysburg this morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilliland. Mrs. Gilliland is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vance. R. S. McClure of Connettsville, was in town yesterday.

Young Tom, Knights of the Macabees, meets regularly every first and third Monday in Odd Fellows' Hall at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Daniel Harper of Dunbar, was shopping in town yesterday.

Miss Stella Ogilvie of Dawson, visited her sister, Mrs. Carl E. Horner, yesterday.

Miss Lizzie Seese of Somersfield, who has been the guest of friends here for the past few days returned home this morning.

Don't forget to visit 120 South Pittsburg street for military. Miss Markley has a complete line and would like the ladies to call.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Moloney of Greensburg, are visiting friends here today.

Miss Mabel Scott of the West Side, left this morning for a several weeks' visit with friends in Oakland and Dear Park, Md.

S. W. Metzler of Uniontown, is in town today.

Miss Irene Holland went to Pittsburg this morning to spend several weeks with her brother, C. E. Holland.

All kinds of decorations, buildings and flags for the Columbus celebration. William Herzberg, 140 Main street.

Miss Mary Lou Miller left this morning for Forest Glen, Md., to resume her studies at National Park Seminary.

R. M. Cook of Pittsburg, is in town on business.

Mrs. N. S. Palmer of Richmond, Va., received a telegram this morning stating that her mother was seriously ill.

Mrs. J. M. Hoyle is at Gettysburg today attending a missionary meeting of the Rodons Presbytery.

**DANDRUFF.**  
Falling Hair and Itching Scalp Are Caused by Microbes.

There is no doubt about it. Doctor Sabouraud proved it when he infected a guinea pig with dandruff germs and all its hair disappeared in a short time. The entire medical world has accepted Dr. Sabouraud's discovery as final. Ask any worthy physician.

Paris leads the world in knowledge of diseases of the hair and remedies for the same.

And Parisian Sage which can now be obtained at leading druggists all over America is the one great remedy that kills the dandruff germs.

And that is why A. A. Clarke says to every reader of The Courier if Parisian Sage does not banish dandruff, stop falling hair or itching scalp in two weeks he will refund the purchase price.

Dandruff is the forerunner of baldness. Take care of your hair while you have hair to take care of. Kill the dandruff germs now before the dandruff germs kill your hair.

**W. N. Leche**

## SUIT TALK

When you want your watch repaired you do not go to a blacksmith shop. This is a day of specialists and the jack-of-all-trades is never a success. When you order a suit you don't want a presser to do the cutting. If you get a suit at LECHES you are sure to get the most skilled workmanship. Each different process in the making of our suits is done by men who are specialists in their particular line of work.

OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE WITH ALL THE LATEST AND CHOICEST STYLES AT OUR SPECIAL CUT PRICES OF

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Men's Heavy Ribbed Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, very special at 25c	Exceptional values in Men's Coat Sweaters, at \$1.00	Men's extra heavy fleece lined shirts and drawers, in chocolate color, regular 45c values, sale price 39c

## Gem Food Choppers

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The Gem Chopper is useful all the time, at breakfast, dinner and supper time. There's hardly a dish that it cannot perform most of the work in getting it up. It chops raw meat, cooked meat, all kinds of vegetables and fruit, bread, crackers, cheese, nuts, and many other articles used in making substantial dishes and dainty desserts. It does away entirely with the chopping knife and bowl. It's a money saver as well as a time saver.

**BUTCHERS' SUPPLIES**  
Butchering time is at hand and you'll want to know where to get the best tools. We carry a full line of knives, saws, scales, Enterprize lard presses and meat grinders.

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## PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

SPECIAL EXCURSIONS TO

# PITTSBURGH

SUNDAYS, OCT. 10 and 24.

Round Trip	Train	Round Trip	Train
Rate	Leaves	Rate	Leaves
Uniontown.....\$1.25	8:30 A. M.	Altoona.....\$1.00	8:51 A. M.
Dunbar.....1.15	8:17 A. M.	Tarboro.....1.00	8:58 A. M.
New Haven.....1.00	8:23 A. M.	New Stanton.....1.00	9:06 A. M.
Connellsville.....1.00	8:29 A. M.	Yonkerswood.....2.00	9:12 A. M.
Everson.....1.00	8:31 A. M.	Pittsburg.....1.00	10:25 A. M.
Scranton.....1.00	8:41 A. M.		

Trains will also stop at WILMERSBURG 9:57 A. M., EAST PITTSBURGH 10:50 A. M., BRADDOCK 10:53 A. M., WILKINSBURG 10:10 A. M., and EAST LIBERTY 10:10 A. M.

RETURNING, tickets will be accepted ONLY ON SPECIAL TRAIN. ON DATE OF SALE, leaving Pittsburg, Union Station 7:15 P. M., East Liberty 7:25 P. M., Wilkesburg 7:29 P. M., Braddock 7:36 P. M., East Pittsburg 7:40 P. M., and Wilkesburg 7:43 P. M.

**NO HALF FARE TICKETS WILL BE SOLD**  
The excursion rates will not be accepted on the trains, and passengers not provided with tickets will be charged the REGULAR FULL FARE.

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## THIRTY DIE IN MINE DISASTER.

**Terrific Explosion in Work-  
ings Near Victoria,  
B. C.**

### SIXTY MEN ARE ENTOMBED

**Fire Damp Cause of Deadly Blast  
Which Brings Death to Underground  
Workers—Rescuers Having Diffi-  
culty in Getting into Slope.**

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 6.—Thirty miners are believed to be dead as the result of an explosion at the Extension mine of the Wellington Colliery company near Nanaimo. The death toll may be even larger, as sixty miners were entombed by the explosion with slight chances of rescue.

Twenty-five of the imprisoned men were rescued, but the rapidly spreading fire prevented the rescuers from completing their work. Eight bodies were recovered and the workers are making every effort to force further entrance into the two levels affected by the explosion in an effort to save any who may be living and to recover the bodies of the dead before they are consumed.

All the men rescued were badly injured. The men employed in the collieries on Vancouver Island are of the better class of British miners and all are well paid and have comfortable homes.

The shock was terrific, but its effect was confined to the slope wherein it occurred. All of the men in the other slopes and levels escaped.

The explosion was due to fire damp, the timbers in two levels at once igniting and the fire spreading with great rapidity. Residents of Nanaimo hesitated in going to Extension, where the disaster occurred, and only rescuers, miners and officials are on the scene. The mine is situated sixty miles north of Victoria near the sea coast.

Some of the chambers ran under the sea. They are owned by Governor Dunsmuir of British Columbia. Over 3,000 men are employed in these collieries, which are the second largest in Canada and have been operated for forty years. They have been the scene of several disasters in recent years.

### DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Oct. 6.—P. P. Truesdale of Uniontown, was here Tuesday looking after mine business matters.

Charles W. Wray was calling on friends in Latrobe Sunday.

Henry W. Wick was a business caller in Scottdale Monday.

J. W. Boyer of Greensburg, was here Tuesday on business.

J. M. Smith of Uniontown, Pa., was here on business Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Robinson of the West Side, Connelville, was here Tuesday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Kerr left on Tuesday for Irwin, where they will be the guests of friends for a few days.

Rev. L. M. Haines, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, left Tuesday morning for Bellevue, where he will attend the conference of the Pittsburgh district of the M. E. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kenney and son, John, who have been the guests of friends at Charles for the past few days, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. William Hannan was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Collins, of the West Side, Connelville, Tuesday.

James J. Feathers of Uniontown, was here on business Tuesday.

The brick work of the new Deere building on Connelville street, is half done on the third floor and with a couple of more good days the brick work will be completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Souton and two children, who have been guests of friends and relatives at York Run for the past few days, returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Fink, who is employed as clerk in the postoffice here left on Tuesday for Pittsburgh, where she will be the guest of friends for the next two weeks during her vacation. Her place will be filled by Mrs. Mary Worde.

Mrs. Margaret Millholland, who has been the guest of friends and relatives at McKeesport for the past week, returned home Tuesday.

Dr. A. H. White of Connelville, was here Tuesday on professional business.

Mrs. Stewart Speer of Harris, was here Tuesday visiting friends.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church will hold its regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Irons.

The commencement exercises of the Bible Study Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church, will be held Sunday evening in the church and a large audience was present. Special music was a feature of the evening, and Dr. J. Ross, the presiding officer of the McKeesport district of the M. E. Church, was present and delivered an address. The members of the class who received their diplomas were: Mrs. M. H. Haines, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Wray, Mrs. Harry Irons and Miss Anna Leckmeyer.

### SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, Oct. 6.—Charles A. Emme of White House, was here on Monday having a dead drawn in his favor for a one-fifth interest in a farm in Springhill township, containing 180 acres and 112 perches, his fifth being 37.68 acres. This farm originally belonged to Squire Lewis Hunter, and was conveyed by him and his wife to

Anna Emme and was inherited from his father, Daniel H. Emme, deceased. The surviving heirs are Thos. J. Emme, wife of deceased, and five children, Minnie A., Lillie, Catherine, David and Charles. There are rich deposits of the finest quality of fire clay underlying a good portion of the tract. Daniel H. Emme, during his lifetime, worked these clay deposits where it formed ready material for the glass factories, the manufacturers claiming it was as good if not superior to the German clay for making pots. The whole tract of 180 acres was sold by Squire Hunter to Mrs. Emme for \$2,000. Her son, Daniel, realized many times that amount for fire clay.

Squire Abraham is occupying the cashier's box at the store of the Penn Supply Company.

Ben Black was in Springhill Monday looking for a milk cow belonging to Louis Lee of High House, was a visitor here Monday.

James Brady of White House, was here Monday presenting his voucher for pension.

Any old soldier desiring transportation in a trolley from Pittsburgh to attend the Veterans' Reunion Thursday may secure a ticket, either from J. A. Rankin, J. M. D. Law or H. O'Neill, Union Hotel of Out Crop, was here on Monday.

### CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Oct. 6.—Frank Davis, of the J. B. Davis Lumber Company, of Ursina, was a business visitor here on Tuesday.

Robert T. Tissue, assistant at present in the postoffice, has returned from a business trip to Pittsburgh.

Rev. D. M. Paul of Addison, was here yesterday on his way to Baltimore to attend the conference of the M. E. Church.

John Reid, a prosperous farmer from beyond the Yough, was a business visitor here yesterday.

N. H. Crow, D. O. G. M. of the I. O. O. F. in the county, will visit Somerset, Pa., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Berlin this week to install officers in the different lodges.

A. B. Plankin, a well known resident of Johnson Chapel, was here on business yesterday.

Rev. A. R. Travis, pastor of the First M. E. Church here, has gone to Bellevue to attend the M. E. conference.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pullin are visiting friends in Uniontown.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coder of Ursina, were visitors here Tuesday.

O. D. McKee is in Pittsburgh on business.

J. L. Hyatt of Drakstown, was here Tuesday on business.

Lloyd Murnitt and J. B. Paruels are leaving a car of wheat for Baltimore.

W. W. Graft, B. & O. operator at Dunbar, who was working here for a few days, has returned home.

Anna of near Harnedsville, was here on business yesterday.

Rev. D. A. Friend and wife of Friendsville, Md., were yesterday.

### DAWSON.

DAWSON, Oct. 6.—Mrs. Sarah B. Cochran was the guest of friends in Pittsburgh Monday.

Mrs. E. B. Brattler was calling on Connelville friends Monday.

Taylor Dawson of Uniontown, was here Tuesday on business, and calling on friends.

Misses Nell and Mabel Rosiere were shopping in Pittsburgh Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Clarence McGill and son, Donald, are the guests of Mrs. McGil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Henle, of Connelville.

W. A. Gibson of Port Perry, was here Sunday calling on friends.

Miss Harriet Huston was a Connelville shopper Monday.

Mrs. William McGuire was the guest of friends in Pittsburgh Tuesday.

Mrs. A. J. Manning spent Tuesday at McKees Rocks with friends.

Mrs. Sue Jones has returned home from Cambridge Springs, where she has spent the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Butte were calling on Connelville friends Monday.

Rev. H. M. Carnahan, pastor of the Cochran Memorial Church left Tuesday to attend the M. E. conference at Bellevue.

Mrs. Roy Rogan of Monaca, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Oberg district of the M. E. Church.

Mrs. E. H. Hubbard is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Orle Schilling of Lakewood.

J. E. Cunningham of Pittsburgh, was a recent visitor here.

### PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, Oct. 6.—Dr. J. R. Martin, Dr. R. P. Kemmerer, Mr. R. Martin and W. T. Welner composed the party that went to Friendsville, Md., Monday and returned yesterday after a short chestnut hunt. Their party friends anticipated many happy hours the coming winter chewing nuts, but the collection was not sufficient to warrant such.

Dr. George P. Bille, president of the Philadelphia School of Oratory, will open the High School lecture course here Saturday evening. Season tickets for the course of six lectures are on sale at Edmund Martin's jewelry store after 10 A. M. Saturday. The demand for reserved seats this year will be greater than ever, and those who desire to do well to have them ordered Saturday.

Philip Hildebrand, one of Uncle Sam's faithful B. E. D. boys, will take his vacation the next 15 days. Philip will spend most of his time in Pittsburgh and Detroit.

James Hassen was among those who transacted business in town last evening.

Frank Townsend is attending the M. E. conference at Bellevue this week. The reports and records of the first month of the High School show prosperity in every department and the 100% attendance is a very proud record.

### OWENSDALE.

OWENSDALE, Oct. 6.—Mrs. Samuel Sease of Altoona, is visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Saylor are visiting at Pittsburgh. Mr. Saylor's mother died at that place Sunday.

Harry C. Morris, water line inspector of the Tipton Water Company, was here on business today.

Miss Rena Casselman of Fairview, Ala., has returned to her home after a week's visit with relatives near here.

Grant Shallenberger, who is ill at the Mt. Pleasant hospital, has taken a slight recovery.

Mrs. William Stackelback of Scottdale was visiting here today.

Allen Shallenberger was in Connelville on business today.

Mrs. R. Cowan was in Scottdale today.

The following Scottdale people were here today: Miss Mollie Owen, George Porter, G. L. Armon, E. M. McBeth, Walter Edwards, C. O'Neill and Andrew Bogan.

Vaude Ruth was a Scottdale business caller today.

Mrs. W. T. Martin is visiting relatives in Pittsburgh.

## THREE WOMEN GOLF CHAMPIONS IN BIG AMERICAN TOURNAMENT

HAYVERFORD, Pa., Oct. 6.—The greatest field of women golf players ever assembled in the United States opened the contest at the Merion Cricket club here for the women's championship. The unusual collection of title holders includes Miss Frances Griscom, national winner in 1900; Mrs. C. T. Stout, winner in 1901 and 1902; Miss Georgianna Bishop, winner on the Merion links in 1904; Miss Harriet Curtis, winner in 1905; Miss Margaret Curtis, winner the following year, and Miss Katherine C. Harley, the present title holder. Miss Mollie Adams, Boston champion; Miss Vida Lewellyn, Western champion; Miss E. N. Alexander and Mrs. Caleb Fox and Mrs. Ronald Barlow, Philadelphia champions. Against this formidable array of home exponents are Miss Dorothy Campbell, the British champion; Miss Frances Tencher, the Scottish champion of 1907, and the English experts Miss R. C. B. Lathrop of the East Herts Club, Miss S. Temple of the Westward Ho and Miss J. Sparling of Burnham.



### OHIOPILE.

OHIOPILE, Oct. 6.—Rev. G. E. Leitchworth, who has been pastor of the Methodist Church here for the past two years, left Tuesday to attend the annual session of the Pittsburgh conference, held at Bellevue Methodist Church. Rev. Leitchworth closed a very pleasant and successful pastorate. It is generally anticipated that he will be reappointed for another year.

Walter McFarland, who has been confined to his home with typhoid fever for the past few weeks, was calling on friends about town Tuesday.

Frank McDuffett of Connelville, was calling on relatives and friends here Tuesday.

Miss Ellen Shaw spent Tuesday with Connelville and Uniontown friends.

Nicholas McGarney has returned to town after a business trip in Somerset county.

H. T. Holt was a Somerset county business caller here Tuesday.

Miss Lillian Mitchell, accompanied by Mrs. Ida Klein, after making a short visit with relatives here, left Tuesday for the West.

Robert Sprunt was in Uniontown on business yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Gleditsy and children of Jennings, Md., are visiting relatives near here.

Read the advertisements carefully.

### STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, Oct. 6.—Walter Townsend and Miss Alma Mitchell of Terryopolis, attended the opera Monday evening.

Rev. J. W. Hays was calling in town last evening.

Mrs. Emma Sanitiner returned home after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Pearl Harper, of Bellevue.

Mrs. D. M. Graham, Mrs. M. P. Elwell and daughter, Mary, were shopping in Connelville yesterday.

Rev. Putnam, of the M. E. Church, of this place, is attending conference at Bellevue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Vance returned home after spending his vacation at Bruceton's Mill.

R. M. Bowden is attending the Hudson-Fulton celebration this week.

Mrs. R. L. Bowden is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Engburg, Niles, O.

### VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, Oct. 6.—A dinner was given Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Green in honor of their daughter, Miss Budie Green, of Dawson. None but relatives of the family were invited, and among them were: Mr. and Mrs. Moses Moon and daughters, America and Letha; Mrs. Anna Green, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. Edolph, Mr. and Mrs. Lockett, all of Vandervilt, and Mr. and Mrs. Powell of Uniontown.

Affairin Hardy of Dunbar, was the guest of Lillian Mann here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin were Connelville callers Tuesday.

Harry Goodman of Woodlawn, is spending a few days here with his parents.

Miss Madigan was transacting business in Connelville yesterday.

Indispensable.—There are some simple remedies indispensable in every family. Among these, the experience of years assures us, should be PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER. For both internal and external application we have found it of great value; especially can we recommend it for colds, rheumatism or fresh wounds.—Christian Era.

### Found

that the O. O. O. Order of Owls are being organized in Connelville. Applications for membership should be handed in before charter is closed. Charter will be closed on or about Oct. 15th. See M. B. Pryce or M. D. L. Trook.

# 3 Day Sale of Skirts

**Affording Exceptional  
Price Savings.**

**NOW IS YOUR CHANCE TO SAVE  
MONEY ON YOUR NEW SKIRT.**

We have a fine line of beautiful new skirts to offer in this special three days' sale at unusually attractive prices. These skirts are made up in the best manner, in the new styles and from the leading and most popular materials and colors.

They represent the surplus stock of a leading maker sold to us at a big concession in cost. They hang gracefully and fit perfectly—in fact are wonderfully good in both style and tailoring.

**At \$4.90, \$6.40 and \$9.90**

We offer the best Skirt values ever shown at these prices.

We ask you only to come and see these skirts—your own eyes and judgment will tell you that they are the best values for the money you ever saw or heard of. Sale is for three days so be here promptly and get first and best choice.



**On Sale Wednesday, Thursday and Friday**

Taffeta Silk Petticoat with taffeta silk ruffle arranged in clusters of tucks forming deep flounce; worth \$7.90; special for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday only ..... **\$4.90**

Attractive Walking Skirt of the finest quality chiffon Panama, nine gored model with panel effect in front formed by overlapped seams; eight narrow graduated stitched folds around bottom; colors—black, blue and fancies; up to \$10 value; special for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday ..... **\$6.40**

Fine quality Chiffon Panama Skirt in pleated model; arranged in deep yoke effect; wide flounce laid in clusters of deep pleats; all colors; regular \$6.50 value; for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday only ..... **\$4.90**

Excellent quality Black Voile Skirt, side pleated model; wide pleats stitched over hips, inverted pleat in back, bottom of skirt finished with deep hem; regular \$15 value; special for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday only ..... **\$9.90**

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# FELDSTEIN'S

## OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Some People We Know, and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them.

This is a purely local event. It took place in Connelville. Not in Buffalo or New York. You are asked to investigate it. Asked to believe a citizen's word. To confirm a citizen's statement. Any article that is endorsed at home is more worthy of confidence. Than one you know nothing about. Endorsed by unknown people.

Mrs. J. W. Zimmerman, 107 South Prospect street, Connelville, Pa., says: "Hard work and severe colds caused Mr. Zimmerman's kidneys to become disordered. He suffered from severe pains in his back and sides and was in poor health generally. Finally he learned of Doan's Kidney Pills and began their use. They gave him prompt relief and on occasions since when he has appealed to them, they have brought the desired results. Both my husband and myself value Doan's Kidney Pills very highly."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McBarn: Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no relief.



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PAVING BLOCKS**  
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AND RETURN  
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ROUND TRIP \$1.50 FROM CONNELLSVILLE  
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## CLOTHES Low Prices Easy Terms

It's a great convenience to be able to select the newest Fall Clothing at our store. Remember

**WE CLOTHE THE FAMILY.**  
This Week We Offer Two Special Values:  
Ladies' Suits, all colors, \$13.50 value, \$15.00  
Men's Suits, ten patterns, \$21 value, \$18.00

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WEDNESDAY EVE'G., OCT. 6, 1909.

### THE SALARY INCREASE OF THE BURGESS.

The action of the Town Council last night, in passing an ordinance raising the salary of the Burgess from \$50 to \$75 per month, was voted against by some of the members not because they thought such increase of salary was not proper since the consolidation of the two boroughs and the extension of the borough lines, but because they thought the ordinance was unconstitutional. The Constitution of Pennsylvania, Article III, Section 13, says: "No law shall extend the term of any public officer, OR INCREASE OR DIMINISH HIS SALARY OR EMOLUMENTS, AFTER HIS ELECTION OR APPOINTMENT."

The prohibition seems plain and positive.

Yet it has been held by the Supreme Court in one case, and by the lower courts in several others, that this constitutional section does not apply to municipal officers, but only to legislative officers, that is officers expressly nominated by the Constitution and regulated by State legislation; that boroughs are corporations for the purpose of government, and as such are in some mysterious manner different from State and county organizations, and so are exempt from this rule of regulation of the Constitution.

But it has recently been determined by the Supreme Court in a case from Brownsville that borough township officers are included in the Constitutional regulation, and that not even a Justice of the Peace may be removed from his office except by the Governor upon the address of two-thirds of the Senate.

The distinction without a difference grows finer as it proceeds, so fine that we are tempted to believe that the former decision of the Supreme Court, which classifies borough officers as not coming under the requirements of the Constitution which governs all other public officials from Governor down to county and township officers, is not good law, and will not stand the test of further scrutiny.

In the meantime, however, we believe with most good citizens of Connelville that the increase in the salary of Burgess Evans is warranted under the circumstances and should remain as it is. So far as we are concerned there will be no objection, but if there should be objections on the part of others upon whom shoulders the direct responsibility for this action may lodge in future settlements such objections will have to be heard and determined upon their merits.

### FREE SPEECH IN THE TOWN COUNCIL.

The right of free speech in the Town Council is inherent, and it cannot lawfully be denied, but the members should practice the Quaker rule of speaking only when the spirit moves them, that is to say only when they have something worthy of speech, not every time somebody else says something, or every time the tongue is loosened by idle thought.

The Council is a deliberative body and when considering the public business the members should confine themselves to the subject under consideration and be as economical of words as possible. This will enable everybody to be heard in order without prolonging the debate and the deliberations of the body to tiresome length.

We desire to add, in conclusion, that these remarks are not intended to be exclusive.

### THE FINANCING OF THE Y. M. C. A.

The managers of the Young Men's Christian Association ask that the necessary funds for current expenses and internal charges be guaranteed by substantial business men and citizens so that the managers will not have to spend all their days chasing the dollars, but will have time to give to their legitimate work, that is to say the work of looking after the young men for whose moral and educational advancement the institution was provided and is supported.

The logic of the appeal is evident. Unless the Young Men's Christian Association building is going to be devoted earnestly and entirely to the work to which it has been dedicated, the managers may as well be dismissed, the boys turned out and the building sold or rented for other purposes. Connelville can't afford to do that.

### COMMITTEE EXPENDITURES SHOULD BE LIMITED.

The Finance Committee of the Connelville Council complains of the extravagance of the Street Committee; and the Finance Committee further declares that a halt must be called upon the Street Committee's reckless expenditure or the revenues of the borough will be eaten up long before the year is out, and there will be left no money to pay current expenses.

However this may be, it has long been evident that there is too much latitude given to the Street Committee in the matter of public expenditure. It is time the curb was applied and a limit set to the amount this and all other committee shall be allowed to expend without the advice and consent of the whole Councilmanic body.

To require the Street Committee to ask permission for the expenditure of every trifling item of current street expense would be unbusinesslike and undesirable; but it would be entirely feasible and proper to set a limit to such expenditure, either monthly, quarterly or annually. The finances of the borough cannot be properly managed with every committee given unlimited credit in the matter of current expenditures.

The situation demands some regulation.

Albert Sauter did not commit suicide. He died in a brave fight against odds to win his way in the world. It was the struggle of an active brain in a weak body, of the crushing down of the latter by the continual demands of the former. Aside for his inordinate appetites for knowledge, his habits were temperate and his life a model of virtue. Such a lad would have no incentive to self-destruction, but every desire to live. We regret that through any inadvertence of ours any other impression should have gone forth.

The Weather Man is smiling upon us.

Every business man should attend the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow evening to hear the report of the committee which has completed its investigation of the new industry which knocks at our doors, and from present indications most of them will be on hand.

The borough battle has regular customers.

If the covers of the Pittsburgh storm sewers are dropped the bottoms had better be lowered correspondingly, as some of them are not now any deeper than necessary for the discharge of the storm water during heavy down-pours.

The borough should not allow lack of street grades to foil sidewalk reform.

The Street Committee has certainly not been extravagant in its street cleaning expenditures recently, yet this is the season when the public health demands such work perhaps more than at any other time in the year.

The borough offers fair terms to its drivers to improve their street and sidewalk paving bills.

The Street Committee should probably nullify the street paving bills before they are sent out. The borough should not collect more than once for the same job.

Connelville is to have a lodge of Owls. We have the Eagles and the Moose. The animal family is growing rapidly. It will be a great hunting ground for the Indians, some day unless the animals keep close to cover and avoid getting too noisy. The Owls family will be happy only so long as it refrains from being boisterous.

The latest mine accident is far removed from the Connelville region, but the results were just the same.

Pittsburgh welcomes Explorer Cook after a manner that ought to thaw out every vestige of his Arctic experience.

Connellman Duggan wants the telephone company curbed, and he is quite right in his demand. There are some streets in Connelville where poles are located so far out from the curb that they might almost as well be in the center of the street. Especially in narrow paved thoroughfares where the poles take up sidewalk space and roadway should such poles be set back flush with the lot lines.

The Second Ward is not in the Light of Day just now, but perhaps Time will make things even.

The Ordinance Committee admits its perfunctory character. It is powerless to do much, it chooses to exercise them, but it would be public calamity if they were not exercised with intelligence and public spirit.

Nervous breakdowns seem to be peculiar to financiers and newspaper men, yet singular to say there is absolutely no relation between the two classes.

The Pope is reported to be in a precarious state of health. If the Pope were elected from a younger and more vigorous set of men they would last longer, and advance the church more sensibly. It is true that wisdom comes with age, but with age comes infirmities also.

The good do not all die young. Some of them live to be old and poor.

The Model Office of a Model Paper.

The Johnstown Democrat is now located in a new office at 100 North Main Street, Johnstown, near the theatre. The building was completely remodeled and in very few instances resembles the original structure. A solid plate glass front adorns the building. The business office is tiled and furnished throughout in beautiful mahogany, the entrance vestibule and halls are similarly furnished and the apartments of the publishers, Warren, Worth, Bailey and Edward, Homer Bailey, are richly furnished in mahogany. The large press room has a concrete floor, a new and important departure in this part of the State. The floors are the private offices and the news rooms are of the best quality of maple, polished and waxed. It is said to be the finest printing office in Central Pennsylvania and one of the largest in the country, having the equivalent of about 30,000 square feet of space. The new home of the Democrat is worth seeing, as it contains, besides its beautiful finish, a large amount of the modern printing machinery, including the famous Linotype typesetting machines. All those who wish to inspect this up-to-date newspaper plant will be made welcome.

Republicans Take Notice.

I am advised that it is currently reported and industriously circulated throughout the county that certain prominent Republicans, some of them connected with the Republican County Committee, are indifferent towards either a part or the whole of the Republican county ticket, if not actually antagonistic thereto. Statements of this character emanate wholly from the enemy and are designed to dampen the ardor and diminish the activity of the party workers and thus to injure the ticket.

These reports are utterly false and no credit should be given them. The party is united, all the officials and workers are heartily for the whole ticket, and every Republican is hereby urged to vigorous effort to carry the county for the entire ticket. State and County, by a handsome majority.

P. A. JOHNS, Chairman Republican County Committee.



Uncle Sam—When you come to the age of the women you are liable to, full down, old man.

Two and one-fourth billion questions will be asked during the coming census.—News Item

## WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE.

United Press Special.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Echoes of the war now in Minnesota, in Congress, "Jim" Tawney's district, are filtering through to Washington, and there are those here who think there will be another man on the job in his place in the 42d Congress.

Tawney's fight to retain his seat became a topic of national interest not long ago, when President Taft took the trouble to stop off at White House, to tell the folks there how much he thought of the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee and intimating that he was a supporter of the bill. The opposition to Tawney's constituents had a sneaking idea that their representative oughtn't to have been quite so "regular" in his voting on some of the paragraphs of the bill. The opposition to his re-election is making a vast deal of ammunition over the fact that Tawney is tied up with the Cannon machine of the House. Then, too, a group of many residents and voters of the First Minnesota District have never forgotten that it was Tawney who led the fight against the bill.

Recent years, however, have demonstrated that the Indians received unexpected compensation, so far as material wealth goes by the exchange of lands. In the domain of the Five Nations, the mineral wealth of their lands can only be vaguely estimated.

The Mid-Continent oil field, largely composed of Oklahoma lands allotted to Indians, leads all other oil fields of the United States in production this year, placing Oklahoma first among the 15 oil-producing states. Reports indicate that over half a million barrels of oil were marketed last year from this section, a large portion of which was produced from the Glenn Pool in the Creek Nation. This field was not discovered until November, 1905, and attracted no particular attention until March, 1906. Now it is estimated that there are about 1,700 producing wells in the field, and that the production of the Glenn Pool which is itself only four miles square. All of this gives a royalty of from \$1,000 to \$3,000 to each Indian on whose land the wells are located.

The Osages are likewise reaping wealth from their mineral resources—principally oil and gas. On the average, each of the 100 Osage Indians in the Cherokee Nation the Indians make money by their coal leases. Asphalt is also an income producer. The total royalties paid Indians in Oklahoma during the year 1908 were \$214,722.77 for coal and \$3,382.35 for asphalt. Then, too, more than six thousand Indians find employment in these industries.

At the last election Tawney only pulled through with about 2,000 votes to the good. He is a close district, and one in which the voters are extremely independent even to the point of disregarding party lines. From the news that comes to Washington it appears that the big Minnesota is working overtime mending his fences. He is attempting his district and defending the tariff bill in every speech. It is the latter course of action that is angering more and more the tariff revisionists up there. They maintain that "Jim" knows full well that the bill is a bad one, but hasn't the nerve to come out and say why he voted for it.

Meanwhile Tawney is taking no chances of defeat. The idea of re-election in Congress is particularly appealing to him just now because he is far-sighted enough to foresee the retirement of "Uncle Joe" Cannon as Speaker.

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FOR SALE—ADVERTISEMENTS.

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FOR SALE—TWO FARMS NEAR.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT. ALL.

## DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street,  
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEATHER FORECAST.  
Western Pennsylvania—Fair today  
and Thursday; not much change in  
temperature; light variable winds.

### SMART NEW STYLES IN

## Storm Coats

Have you seen them? Something beyond the ordinary for this class of a coat. Probably the most serviceable garment on the market with enough exclusive style touches to make them desirable for all occasions. It's the different style traits that characterize all Dunn's ready-mades and these are the sort that have built up the reputation of this department. They are made of home spun, cheviots, covert, diagonals and rough mixed materials that rank first in popularity this season. These garments are extra long with new storm collars, deep cuffs, plain or pinched skirts, large buttons, straps, etc., lined or unlined and in several different shades. We've a good line of styles at popular prices.

BABY DAY, OCTOBER 15.

## HEAVY WORSTEDS

Heavy rough materials are the most popular of any fabric being shown at present. Fashion has marked its stamp of approval on them and their beauty and warmth makes them doubly welcome. We are showing new home spun, diagonals, covert, rough serges, heavy mixtures, etc., in an extensive assortment of colors, including the popular shades of the season. Also a few new designs in plaids and stripes. They are 50 and 52 inches wide and range in price from

\$1.00 to \$2.00

GET READY FOR BABY DAY.

## COUNTRY WOOL BLANKETS

Perhaps these chilly nights have suggested them before now. They are strictly all wool, full 12 quarter size and good weight. Tan and white, blue and white, grey and white, pink and white, and plain white, with blue or pink borders are the patterns shown. They are exceptional values at

\$5.00

## COMFORTS

Spug coverings that are also attractive. They are made of fine silkline in new designs with or without plain mercialized or silk colored borders with finest quality pure white cotton. We have priced them very low

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## SILENCE CLOTH

A new table padding made of extra quality long white cotton covered with fine white muslin and closely quilted. Washes well and will not stick to table. Comes 64 inches wide and sells at yard

\$1.00

## DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street,  
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

## Enamel Ware SPECIALS

We have on hand about 1800 pieces of enamel ware which we have determined to close out as soon as possible. This lot consists of preserve kettles of all sizes, dish pans, Berlin kettles, and handled sauce pans, in most every size. We have determined to move these goods and they have been priced accordingly. The colors are blue and gray and we are offering you the opportunity to fill in your kitchen ware needs at ridiculously low figures.

2 quart preserve kettles or sauce pans.....	10c	8 and 10 quart kettles.....	25c
2 quart Berlin kettles, with cover.....	15c	8 qt. lipped sauce pans, white lined, blue mottled outside, each.....	35c
14 quart dish pans.....	25c		

We have large quantities of the above and they will go at these prices while they last. We have many pieces in smaller quantities of each kind which will be priced accordingly. Come and secure your choice while they last.

## Wall Paper

Our line of wall paper for the fall season is the most complete in this section. Now is the time to secure your papers at very low prices. We have a beautiful line of papers from 3c to 6c a bolt, and a very swell line from 6c to 10c the bolt. Let us figure with you and compare prices, quality and patterns. We can fill your wants in wall paper at just half what you have been paying.

## Shoes

Don't forget that we can furnish you with all leather solid shoes at a great saving to you. Our shoes are thoroughly reliable, and low in price.

A good solid line of boys and girls shoes for 99c and.....	\$1.25	A fine line of ladies' dress shoes for \$1.25 to.....	\$2.99
A substantial good wearing line of shoes for women from 99c to.....	\$1.60	Men's work shoes of every description from \$1.25 to.....	\$2.49
		Men's fine dress shoes from \$1.10 to.....	\$4.00

## SCHMITZ' NEW YORK RACKET STORE

Table Oil Cloth 15c yd. 10 qt. Pails 10c Each.

## Queen Quality SHOE

It has cost the makers over \$1,000,000 to create the reputation of the "Queen Quality" Shoe. Consequently the trademark to-day is an absolute WARRANTY of quality. They cannot afford to jeopardize it.

SOLD BY C. W. DOWNS & CO.,

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## Good Typewriters Cheap.

One rebuilt Smith Premier No. 4. Price \$40 cash or \$45 on easy payments.  
One rebuilt Underwood, (visible; single keyboard.) Price and terms away down.  
Inquire at The Courier Office, where machines can be seen.

## Some New Women's Shoes

That embody the fullest possible measure of elegant appearance, of comfort and ease, of perfect fit, and of long wear.  
The Dorothy Dodd Shoes for women at \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 always satisfy. There are no more carefully selected leather, no better workmanship and good finish to be found in any shoes. Patents, tans, plain kid and dull leathers, in cloth or kid kid tops; heavy, medium or light soles.  
We shall be pleased to show them to you now. Buy them when you are ready.

## Norris & Hooper

104 W. Main St., Connelville, Pa.













